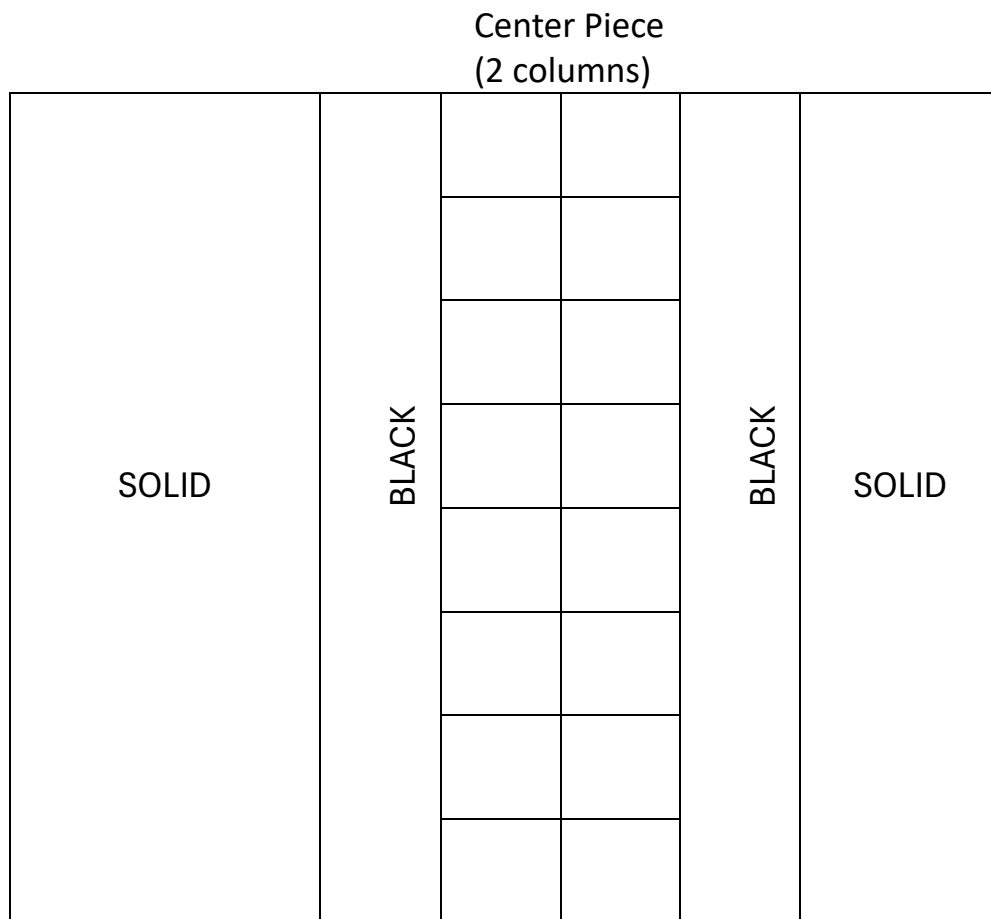


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FABRIC REQUIREMENTS

FINISHED SIZE = 8 1/2" X 8 1/2 "

- Center Strip (16) - Assorted 1 1/2" squares
- Black Strips (2) - Black strips - 1 1/2" x 8 1/2"
- Solid Left Side (1) - Solid strip - 3" x 8 1/2"
- Solid Right Side (1) - Solid strip - 2" x 8 1/2"

Instructions:

1. Sew (8) 1 1/2" squares together in a column.
2. Repeat Step 1. with the remaining 8 squares.
3. Sew the 2 columns together, resulting in a 2 1/2" x 8 1/2" Center Piece.
4. Add the black strips to each side of the Center Piece.
5. Add the solid strips to each outer side of the black strips.

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Special Note: This block will be a test of your 1/4" seams. If you are off a little bit, that 'little bit' will be multiplied by the 7 seams. When you have completed the block, be sure to measure the block. If it is not the full 8 1/2" long, you can still use it as long as it is not shorter by more than 1/8" . Make sure that when you sew the black and solid strips to the Center Piece, that the black and solid strips are trimmed to the same length as the Center Piece. Ensure that the resulting block has sufficient fabric to fit in the seam allowance when it is sewn to the next block.